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Examiner: Negussie Worku
Confirmation No.: 7161

In Re PATENT APPLICATION Of:

Applicant: Tom Tang)
Serial No.: 09/920,812)
Filed: August 3, 2001)
For: DUAL-CARRIAGE SCANNING)
APPARATUS)
Attny Ref.: LIE 148)

AMENDMENT

May 24, 2005

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is in response to the Official Action mailed on February 24, 2005. No fee is due. However, please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-0002 if any fees are needed to enter this paper, and please advise us accordingly. It is noted that no petition is required because of the authorization to charge, but please consider this paper a petition for extension of time if needed.

The Examiner is requested to acknowledge the Applicant's claim to priority (check boxes 12, a, 1-2 on form 326) in the next official action.

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